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The Department of English
presents

Will Aitken

reading from his new novel

TERRE HAUTE

Set in the Indiana town of the same name, *Terre Haute* is the story of one very memorable year in the life of Jared McCaverty, who has just discovered sex but has yet to discover what it means. Spoiled by his family's wealth, Jared is able to live in a world of fantasy - filled with movies, art, and daydreams. But when his thoughts of other boys begin to turn into reality with an older man, Jared comes to realize the implications - and the very real perils - of his sexuality.

Will Aitken is film critic for CBC Television's "Newswatch" and CBC Radio's "Daybreak". His foreign film series, "Film International", can be seen on TV Ontario. He also broadcasts regularly on CBC Radio's national arts program, "The Arts Tonight", and has written about the arts for *The Globe and Mail*, *The Gazette*, *The Body Politic*, *Maclean's*, and *Gay News* (U.K.). He was *Christopher Street's* film critic, 1979-1980. *Terre Haute* is his first novel.

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